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# THE BULLETIN OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART FIFTH AVENUE AND 82D STREET

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The Circular of Information gives an Index to the collections which will be found useful by those desiring to find a special class of objects. It can be secured at the entrances.

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## PHOTOGRAPHS ON SALE

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